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The *Idaho School Safety/Discipline Manual*. The manual was completed with guidance from the Department of Education, the assigned Deputy Attorney General, and compiled by the law office of Eberharter-Maki & Tappen, PA.

The *Manual* is intended to be used by local school boards, superintendents, building administrators, and school board attorneys in the development and implementation of sound policy. Others who may find the *Manual* useful include teachers, school resource officers and parents. Designed to be user-friendly by providing basic procedural issues, sample policies and procedures, and scenarios with questions and responses.

This Manual is intended to be used as a <u>resource</u>. School officials should therefore consult with their appropriate legal advisors concerning applicable state statutes, rules, and case law. Citations to court decisions in other jurisdictions are for information only and do not imply that such decisions would be adopted by, or viewed as persuasive authority by, the courts of this jurisdiction. Further, court decisions after the date of publication of this document may change some legal principles set forth herein.

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